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## **NOTICE OF APPEAL**

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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner dated July 27, 2006, finally rejecting claims 6-12 and 14 of the above-identified patent application.

Applicants believe that there are no fees due at this time as fees for a Notice of Appeal were originally filed on October 3, 2005. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees previously filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to Deposit Account No. 06-2375, under Order No. 60889/HO-P02149US0.

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